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$$f(x) = 2x^2 + 10x - 7$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= 2x^2 + 10x - 7 \\ &= 2\left(x^2 + 5x - \frac{7}{2}\right) \\ &= 2\left(x^2 + 5x + \frac{25}{4} - \frac{25}{4} - \frac{7}{2}\right) \\ &= 2\left(x + \frac{5}{2}\right)^2 - \frac{25}{2} - 7 \\ &= 2\left(x + \frac{5}{2}\right)^2 - \frac{39}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Find the roots of the following function  $f(x) = 3x^2 + 2x - 7$ 

$$\begin{aligned} a &= 3 \\ b &= +2 \\ c &= -7 \\ &= \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} \\ &= \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{2^2 - 4(3)(-7)}}{2(3)} \\ &= \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 + 84}}{6} \\ &= \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{88}}{6} \\ &= \frac{-2 \pm 9.4}{6} \end{aligned}$$

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4.4 Discriminant p227

- i)  $b^2 - 4ac = +ve$  value

2 real roots

- ii)  $b^2 - 4ac = 0$

$$x^2 + 6x + 9 = 0 \quad (x+3)^2 = 0 \quad \text{Perfect Squares}$$

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Discriminant

i)  $b^2 - 4ac = -ve$   
no solution  
 $\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}$   
no real roots

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Determine the # of roots for each equation

a)  $4x^2 - 10x + 5 = 0$

$$D = b^2 - 4ac$$

$$a = 4 \quad = (-10)^2 - 4(4)(5)$$

$$b = -10 \quad = 100 - 80$$

$$c = +5 \quad = 20$$

∴ 2 real roots

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ii)  $3x^2 + 5 = 0$

$$a = 3$$

$$b = 0$$

$$c = 5$$

$$D = b^2 - 4ac$$

$$= 0^2 - 4(3)(5)$$

$$= 0 - 60$$

$$= -60$$

No Real Roots

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For what value of  $k$  does  $2x^2 + 4x + k = 0$  have two distinct roots, one solution? and no solution?

One solution

$$a = 2 \quad D = b^2 - 4ac$$

$$b = 4 \quad D = 4^2 - 4(2)(k)$$

$$c = k(?) \quad D = 16 - 8(k)$$

$$-16 = -8k$$

$$\frac{-16}{-8} = \frac{-8k}{-8}$$

$$2 = k$$

$k > 2$  - no solutions

$k < 2$  - two solutions

$k = 2$  - one solution

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HWK

2, 4 (odds) 6, 7, 9, 13

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